



Docket No. 24180-667006

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Genske et al., U.S. Patent)
Application No. 09/470,386)
Filed: December 22, 1999)
For: Multilayer Film Structures Having)
Improved Seal and Tear Properties)
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AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.114

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

This amendment is submitted in response to an Office Action dated February 11, 2002 and pursuant to a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR §1.114. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the claims:

1. A multilayer film structure having at least two layers comprising:
 - (a) A first layer comprising poly(ethylene) or blended poly(ethylene) wherein said first layer poly(ethylene) is selected from poly(ethylenes) having a density from about 0.93 g/cc to 0.97 g/cc; and
 - (b) A second layer comprising a blend of low density polyethylene and a polyethylene plastomer wherein said blend has a density range from about 0.89

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